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### IN RE APPLICATION

Serial Number: 09/475,308  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENCODING A PLURALITY OF PRE-DEFINED CODES INTO A SEARCH KEY AND FOR LOCATING A LONGEST MATCHING PRE-DEFINED CODE  
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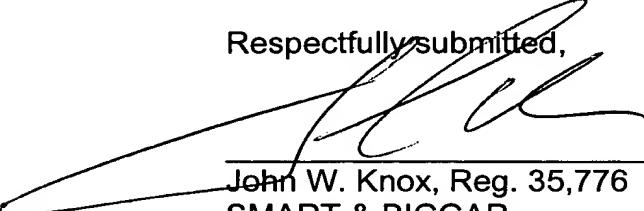
### IDENTIFICATION OF CO-PENDING APPLICATIONS

Applicant wishes to identify the following co-pending applications naming one or more of the applicants on the present case.

1. Serial No.: 09/455,445  
Filed: December 6, 1999  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACTIVE QUEUE MANAGEMENT BASED ON DESIRED QUEUE OCCUPANCY  
Applicants: Awuya; Montuno and Ouellette

2. Serial No.: 09/465,705  
Filed: December 17, 1999  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ADJUSTING PACKET TRANSMISSION VOLUME FROM A SOURCE  
Applicants: Aweya; Montuno and Ouellette
3. Serial No.: 09/566,391  
Filed: May 8, 2000  
Title: METHOD, APPARATUS, MEDIA, AND SIGNALS FOR CONTROLLING PACKET TRANSMISSION RATE FROM A PACKET SOURCE  
Applicants: Aweya; Ouellette; Montuno

Respectfully submitted,



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